

**CLAIMS**

1. An anti-theft case for miscellaneous items,  
particularly for videocassettes, DVD, compact disks,  
cassette tapes and the like, comprising:

5       a first half-case;

          a second half-case hinged on a first side to a  
corresponding first side of said first half-case through  
hinge means;

          opening and closing means placed in order to engage a  
10       second side of said first half-case opposite to said first  
side of said first half-case and a second side of said  
second half-case opposite to said first side of said second  
half-case in order to allow opening and closing said anti-  
theft case; and

15       locking and unlocking means adapted to lock and unlock  
said opening and closing means in their operating  
positions;

wherein:

          said first half-case has a shape and a size that are  
20       identical to a corresponding shape and size of said second  
half-case;

          said opening and closing means are shaped as an  
elongated slider and are inserted into a seat obtained in  
said first and second half-cases; and

25       said locking and unlocking means are composed of a

cylindrical pin adapted to go in and out of a seat obtained in said opening and closing means.

2. The anti-theft case according to Claim 1, wherein said anti-theft case is further equipped with resilient means operatively connected to one of said first or second half-cases and to said opening and closing means, said resilient means being adapted to push said opening and closing means in an opening position when they are unlocked by said locking and unlocking means.

3. The anti-theft case according to Claim 2, wherein said resilient means are composed of an elongated plane lamellar spring.

4. The anti-theft case according to Claim 2, wherein said resilient means are composed of an helical spring.

5. The anti-theft case according to Claim 1, wherein said first and second half-cases are equipped, on the side where said opening and closing means operate, with at least one groove adapted to engage a corresponding pin of the opposite half-case in order to guarantee a better closing seal of said anti-theft case.

6. The anti-theft case according to Claim 1, wherein said opening and closing means are equipped with a plurality of recesses adapted to engage corresponding projections of said first and second half-cases in order to realise a closing of said anti-theft case, and with holding

hooks.

7. The anti-theft case according to Claim 1, wherein  
the seat of said opening and closing means is equipped with  
walls for enabling a sliding of said locking and unlocking  
5 means and with at least one holding shoulder for unmovably  
holding said locking and unlocking means in a closing  
position.